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John Shelter
New Directions
I learn something from the homeless population every single day. If we want to solve homelessness we need their help. We need to ask them to be part of the solution instead of yelling at them. We need to change the attitudes if we want to change the behaviors



Justin Graves
Snap-Fan
Although people are surprised at how much solar can do for them, they still expect too much of a solar system. Solar has gotten a lot cheaper, but people still need to operate a lot more efficiently on a solar system and can't necessarily expect to run all of their traditional appliances for the long hours they're used to on grid.

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MCK REC ADVISORY McKinleyville's Recreation Advisory Committee meets Thursday, April 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the MCSO Conference Room, 1656 Sutter Road. Agenda items include the McKinleyville Little League; a process to determine parks and recreation future development priorities; Round Up for Recreation; botanical garden; Parks & Recreation Master Plan Update Process; recreation programs reports; a review of board actions at last MCSO board meeting; Ad Hoc Committee reports and more.

ARCATA CITY COUNCIL The Arcata City Council meets Wednesday, April 18 at 6 p.m. in Council Chamber at Arcata City Hall, 736 F St. Agenda items include the flag salute; the annual report from the Historic Landmarks Committee; ceremonial matters; approval of a site for installation of electric vehicle charging stations and an agreement with Charge Point to expand charging locations in Arcata; an amendment to the Land Use Code to update allowable retail sales consistent with state regulations; various amendments to the Arcata Municipal Code regarding boards, commissions, committees and task forces; and approval of a revised summer

2018 schedule for City Council meetings.

HISTORIC LANDMARKS Arcata's Historic Landmarks Committee meets Thursday, April 19 at 4 p.m. Council Chamber at Arcata City Hall, 736 F St.. Agenda items include a recommendation to the City Council on the Design Review Ordinance amendment; an update on the subcommittee's Jacoby Storehouse plaque replacement progress; National Historic Preservation Month in May; and more.

THE BUMPERS The McKinleyville Low Vision Support group "The Bumpers" invites the public to the group's April meeting, Monday, April 30 from 11 a.m. to noon in Azalea Hall 1620 Pickett Road, McKinleyville. The topic is how to choose a good place to live when a person has low vision. Dan Birmingham, from Area One Agency on Aging will discuss the home sharing option. For questions on living independently with vision loss contact Doug (707) 839-0588, dougdrose@suddenlink.net, pages.suddenlink.net/dougdrose.



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Wayne Wright
STATE COMMANDER HONORED The Veterans of Foreign Wars California State Commander is touring District 14's posts. Arcata VFW Post 2542 will host a dinner in State Commander Wayne Wright's honor, Friday, April 20 from 6 to 9 p.m. The event takes place at the Arcata Veterans Memorial Building, 1425 J St., Arcata.

Corrections
The title of American Legion Post 274 Commander Jeff Sterling was misstated in last week's edition.

Humboldt State details cuts in ‘Students First’ 2018-2019 budget

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY
HSU – Humboldt State University has released its 2018-19 budget, which is focused on addressing a growing budget deficit while also ensuring students have the courses and support to make progress toward graduating.

In a memo to the University community, President Lisa Rossbacher acknowledged that the budget will be challenging to implement. However, she stressed that it shields students as much as possible from the brunt of reductions while also putting the University on the path to a balanced and sustainable budget.

Going forward, the President

said, the budget plan will allow the University to invest in important priorities.

“This is a Students First budget, reflecting our shared commitment to providing students with an outstanding educational experience as we move forward with the difficult decisions necessary to achieve fiscal stability,” President Rossbacher wrote.

The new budget includes plans for addressing ongoing shortfalls by reducing \$9 million in spending over the next two years. The plan was adopted after more than a year of extensive consultation and feedback across campus. Actions to achieve more than half

the reductions have already been made and one-time funding will bridge the remaining reductions with a longer planning and implementation time-frame.

Savings by broad category for the next two years include: \$1.39 million in academic support, primarily by eliminating vacant positions; \$740,000 in student services, including by reducing the size of international

programs and shifting some costs to grant support; \$2.75 million in institutional support which includes reductions to staffing and funding in the President’s Office and in Institutional Effectiveness, as well as restructuring in Information Technology; and \$1.12 million in operations and maintenance through staff reductions and restructuring.

The reductions also include \$3 million to instructional activities, which is being achieved by more efficiently scheduling available classes, limiting elective courses, offering alternate courses for specific requirements, and similar efforts.

Based on current plans, the Fall 2018 semester has 93 percent of the spaces in course sections that were offered in Fall 2017, a semester that had higher enrollment and in which course offerings exceeded demand. Choices were made after reviewing historic data and enrollment trends, and examining current course needs based on progress of current students.

The University will also move forward with closing the Third Street Gallery in Eureka, a decision the President describes as particularly difficult. The off-campus gallery has proven expensive

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Fire | Property owners skip out on fees for fire protection

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robust as Hunt suggested.

During a public comment session, Justin McDonald, chief of the Arcata Fire District, said his district collects service fees using a firm that does work similar to that of Hunt’s.

The firm used in the Arcata district takes 20 percent of what’s collected, McDonald said, and the fees are based on a \$400 per hour “industry standard.” But the revenue return hasn’t been what the district expected.

McDonald said that for the first quarter of this year, there are close to 40 calls being processed and the district has received payment on 17 of them.

The revenue has amounted to only \$7,000. “They were projecting \$50,000 to \$70,000 for us – and we haven’t seen it,” he continued.

But cost recovery can yield some gains. Last year, the district’s “biggest recovery” was \$11,000 for an extensive fire in Manila. McDonald said the property owner, who lives in Southern California, was billed for a nuisance fire.

In other cases, collection might present dilemmas. “The insurance companies pay the homeowner directly and we would have to bill the homeowner,” McDonald said. “Politically, I don’t think it’s in our best interest to say, ‘So sorry for your loss, here’s a bill.’”

Board Chair Ryan Sundberg noted that in Arcata and

McKinleyville, populations are concentrated and most of the people getting services are residents of the district.

Blue Lake Fire District Chief Ray Stonebarger said his district also uses a collection firm but “basically, it doesn’t even pay the gas bill to respond out in those areas.”

A written report from the County Administrative Office estimates that the county will receive almost \$200,000 a year if fee claims are successfully collected. Stonebarger said the report’s revenue estimates are “extremely inflated.”

Supervisors were still interested in exploring the fee collection option, however. Supervisor Estelle Fennell said it could be useful for service cost recovery in sparsely-populated areas surrounding highways, where district formation would be difficult.

Supervisor Mike Wilson said charging for out-of-district responses could encourage people to support district formation or expansion to avoid being billed.

“We need to do something that helps to hold more people accountable – otherwise, there’s no incentive to even get insurance, frankly, it’ll all be paid for by the districts that exist,” he continued.

Fennell said a variety of approaches may be needed to address cost recovery challenges.

Supervisors directed administrative staff to continue to explore the fee collection option.

HOMELESSNESS & HOUSING SUMMIT College of the Redwoods and Humboldt State University will host the North Coast Homelessness & Housing Insecurity Summit on April 25, 2018. The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the College of the Redwoods Theater located on CR’s main campus, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road.

Three hundred community leaders, as well as students, faculty and staff from the two collegiate institutions have been invited to come together and explore opportunities to more effectively support, develop and implement shared solutions around homelessness in Del Norte and Humboldt counties.

Summit attendees will discuss the scope of the homeless situation and the local initiatives underway; examine the root causes and contributing factors of homelessness for various populations; look at the importance of building resilience and community focus to combat homelessness; and work on expanding community empathy and awareness about the homeless daily life experience.

SUPERVISOR CANDIDATE FORUM Eight community groups have teamed up to host a community forum for all five candidates running for a Board of Supervisors seat in the upcoming election on June 5th.

The Humboldt Del Norte Central Labor Council, North Coast People’s Alliance, Cooperation Humboldt, Health Care for All Humboldt, Northcoast Environmental Center, Centro del Pueblo, Move to Amend, Affordable Homeless Housing Alternatives, and True North are co-sponsoring the event, which will be held at the Labor Temple (840 E Street, Eureka) on Thursday, May 10 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Each group will pose questions relevant to their missions to each of the five invited candidates – incumbent Virginia Bass and challengers Mary Ann Lyons and Dani Burkhart in District 4, and in District 5, incumbent Ryan Sundberg and challenger Steve Madrone. The forum will be moderated by Central Labor Council Secretary John Frahm, and will be livestreamed on Facebook and recorded to air soon after on Access Humboldt. This event is free and open to the public.



PEOPLE’S ALLIANCE Walk door-to-door for two candidates endorsed by the North Coast People’s Alliance: Steve Madrone for Fifth District Supervisor and Karen Paz Dominguez for Auditor. Meet at 1 p.m. on Sunday, April 22, at Pierson Park, 1608 Pickett Road, McKinleyville for a brief training session, then head out to walk.

MCGUIRE FOR SUNDBERG Humboldt County Fifth District Supervisor Ryan Sundberg has received Senator Mike McGuire’s endorsement for re-election.

“I’m joining Congressman Huffman and Assemblymember Wood in endorsing Supervisor Sundberg for re-election,” McGuire said. “Ryan is a tireless advocate for Humboldt County and he’s constantly fighting for the people he works for.”

“We are lucky to have a senator who spends time in Humboldt, takes our issues to the capital and gets them addressed,” Sundberg said. “We have worked on housing, economic development, drug use and flooding issues together, making headway on some and solving others to completion. He is a great partner and I appreciate him as a colleague and friend.”

Conflict | Madrone accuses, leaves as attorney finds no basis

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recuse himself, Madrone acknowledged that the alleged conflict of interest may not be legally actionable but “it’s clearly an appearance of a conflict.”

He added that “there are also other members of this board who are highly engaged in the cannabis industry and have some conflicts – this is a public trust issue.”

Madrone concluded by saying that Sundberg’s recusal is necessary because there is “a strong appearance of a conflict, based on your contributions.”

Sundberg responded with a loud sigh as Madrone walked away from the podium.

When the comment session ended, Sundberg noted that Madrone was no longer in attendance. “It’s always fun when someone makes a bunch of accusations and then runs out the door,” he said.

Sundberg asked County Counsel Jeffrey Blanck to comment on the conflict of interest allegation and lack of disclosure of ex parte communications, or contacts with people with interests in the process, which Madrone had also noted.

Blanck mostly addressed the ex parte communication issue, saying the communication disclosures are not required.

“You as public officials always have numerous input from your constituents on this topic and there’s no need

to keep a list or track of it because that could be huge,” he said.

He added that supervisors are “doing an excellent job” of forwarding the written comments and materials they receive for public disclosure.

“So I don’t see that as a conflict issue,” Blanck said. “And if there is a conflict issue, that’s the purview of the FPPC (Fair Political Practices Commission) and that’s open to any member of the public for any elected official, if they feel that there’s cause for that.”

The FPPC is a state agency that conducts “fair, impartial interpretation and enforcement of political campaign, lobbying and conflict of interest laws,” according to its website.

The hearing otherwise brought supervisors closer to approval of the new ordinance. They supported a cap on the number of permits in watershed areas and 600-foot setbacks from school bus stops.

The county’s Planning Commission had recommended removing the bus stop setbacks.

Another significant issue – and one that supervisors spent more time grappling with – is the permitting of outdoor grows in areas bordering cities and community planning areas.

Responding to neighborhood objections in those areas, the new ordinance requires 600-foot setbacks from residences and discretionary instead of administrative permits, which don’t trigger notifications or

public hearings.

But there’s debate about whether new requirements should be applied to those who have submitted permit applications under the county’s current ordinance and those whose permits have been approved.

The issue will be revisited at the next hearing.

Also up for consideration is a cap on the total number of additional permits allowed in the county’s 12 watershed areas. Supervisors discussed caps of 3,000 and 5,000 permits and leaned toward the lower number.

Supervisors also debated whether to allow grow operations in rural areas to expand to processing and manufacturing. Supervisor Mike Wilson supported limiting processing and manufacturing facilities to urbanized areas.

Other supervisors noted the county’s quickly escalating need for processing facilities and planning staff was asked to analyze the issue and return with more information.

The next hearing on the ordinance is set for May 8.

FIFTH DISTRICT FORUM A Fifth District Supervisor candidate forum at takes place Monday, April 23 at Azalea Hall, 1620 Pickett Road. This is your opportunity to ask questions of candidates Steve Madrone and Ryan Sunberg and hear what they have to say. Doors open at 6 p.m. and the forum begins at 6:30 p.m.

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Budget | First Street closes

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to maintain, and while there has been donor support over time, it was not able to develop a sustained, diversified funding base.

Some of the savings will be used to ensure students get a similar hands-on experience in galleries on campus, and the Art Department will be exploring new ways to increase community engagement.

The University received many comments about the future of the Children’s Center. As part of this budget plan, the University will seek to find savings in this area, while also maintaining access to childcare. A process has begun that will look at possible savings and new revenue, as well as organizational changes. Recommendations based on this review of the Center are expected in the fall semester.

The reductions outlined in the new budget plan are targeted, rather than across-the-board. They consider spending levels at campuses in the California State University system that have similar enrollment. HSU spending per student is higher, on average, than these peer campuses.

In 2016-17, the latest comparable data available, the University spent \$16,882 for each full-time equivalent student (FTES), compared to the \$15,104 per FTES average at similar campuses.

Even with the reductions, the University will have an overall operating budget of about \$135 million. The operating budget, made up primarily of tuition and state funding, is in addition to research efforts, which bring in approximately \$26 million in grants each year, and self-supported operations such as Housing & Residence Life.

Charitable gifts to the University total \$5-\$6 million annually, usually designated to support specific programs, and the endowment of just over \$30 million distributes earnings of about \$1.2 million each year for scholarships and programs.

In addition to reductions, the University’s budget planning continues strategic investments in student success. In recent years, examples of these investments have included efforts related to equity and diversity, expansion of student support services, creation of place-based learning communities, a new Center for Teaching and Learning, and new tenure-line faculty positions. Over the past three years, HSU has invested in 75 tenure-line faculty positions, which represents two-thirds of HSU’s new allocations during those years. An additional nine faculty-line positions will be added in Fall 2018.

More information about the University’s budget planning, including the final 2018-19 budget and budget FAQs, is available at the HSU Budget Office website.



A FLEET OF FRESH FIREFIGHTERS

THE GRADUATES The Northern Humboldt Firefighter Academy held graduation ceremonies at the Fieldbrook Fire Station Thursday, April 12. The graduation featured 12 graduates from the departments of Trinidad, Blue Lake, Samoa, Arcata and Fieldbrook (three not able to attend ceremony). Graduates completed 90 hours of voluntary training along with many hours of study to complete the course. The academy presented certificates in a ceremony and made commendations to all of the graduates for their hard work. Laura Scott of Trinidad Volunteer Fire Department achieved the high score for this years group. Congratulations to all of the Northern Humboldt Firefighter Academy graduates and thank you to these local Fire Departments who through their dedication have made this academy possible. Right, Battalion Chief Curt Watkins, Arcata VFD; Laura Scott, Trinidad VFD; Capt. Miller, Fieldbrook VFD and Academy Leader.

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GAS PROJECT UPDATE



PASSING GAS Completion of PG&E’s gas line replacement project, in progress since November on Seventh Street, has been delayed by rain. A company spokesperson said May 5 is the new completion date.

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Valley West | Police escort

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received by recreation-starved residents.

City Engineer Doby Class said a new, “high-visibility” crosswalk with a flashing signal is to be installed near the bus stop on Giuntoli Lane near SR299.

Efforts to repair a couple of intentionally broken street lamps on Valley West Boulevard were recently frustrated by harassment from street toughs, who forced a city worker to “abandon ship.” That worker is to return with a police escort.

More cleanup days are planned, including one on Sunday, April 22, Earth Day, with help from the PacOut GreenTeam and CommUnity Pride & Peace.

Neander later said that because of the low turnout – just 13 citizens from the 840 Valley West households, more surveying of area residents will be conducted.

McKinleyville getting bicycle safety push

Jack Durham

MAD RIVER UNION

McKINLEYVILLE – The County of Humboldt is kicking off a pedestrian and bicycle safety education program in McKinleyville, with a whole series of events planned for later this year. Banners with safety messages will be hung on light poles on Central Avenue, presentations will be given to school children, and community group bike rides will be organized.

The McKinleyville Municipal Advisory Committee heard about the program and discussed the topic at its meeting March 28 at the Middle School Conference Center. More than 35 people were in attendance, which is a relatively large turnout for a government

meeting in the unincorporated community.

Areli Cupp of the Healthy Communities Division of Humboldt County Public Health discussed the upcoming education program and solicited input.

Cupp told that committee that there were 16 collisions involving bicycles or pedestrians from 2013 to 2014. Cupp said that the county does not have more recent statistics.

Cupp said her program is giving out free helmets to students at schools and is working with the McKinleyville Teen Center on a bicycle safety education program.

The efforts come on the heels of the completion of the Central Avenue Improvement Project, finished in 2016. That project involved the installation of pedestrian islands on Central Avenue, lighted signs warning motorists that pedestrians are crossing and green bike lanes.

Committee member John Corbett asked Cupp if she thought the Central Avenue Improvement Project had increased pedestrian safety along the busy thoroughfare.

“So I think the pedestrian improvements do work,” Cupp said. “The beacons really catch your attention and make people slow down.”

Cupp, however, acknowledged that the county does not yet have statistics to prove that the improvements are helping. Such numbers may not be available for years.

Corbett said that he thought the people who need the most education with regard to bicycle safety are adult motorists.

“I think our biggest need is the adults and them being conscious of bikes, because they haven’t driven in a place where there are a lot of bikes,” Corbett said.

Committee member Craig Tucker noted that there are different kinds of bicyclists.

“I think there are two kinds of cyclists,” Tucker said. “There’s the commuters and kids going to

school... and there’s the middle-aged guys in spandex group.”

Tucker, who acknowledged that he’s part of the spandex group, said “McKinleyville is an outstanding place to ride a bicycle. If you’re not riding a bicycle in McKinleyville, you’re missing out.”

“But the places we’re afraid of getting killed is Azalea Avenue, North Bank Road, Dow’s Prairie Road and Murray Road,” Tucker said. “So those are places where the road gets super narrow. There’s no shoulder.”

Tucker also suggested paving the shoulders on Central Avenue near the county’s main airport and paving the gravel section of the Hammond Trail just below the Vista Point.

During public input, a woman told the committee that McKinleyville can be a confusing place for young cyclists. There are some roads where they can ride down the middle of the street. There are other roads with sidewalks on only one side. There are roads with full bike lanes and roads with no bike lanes. “It’s just kind of mixed up here in McKinleyville to ride a bike,” she said.

The discussion was informational only and the committee did not make any recommendations.

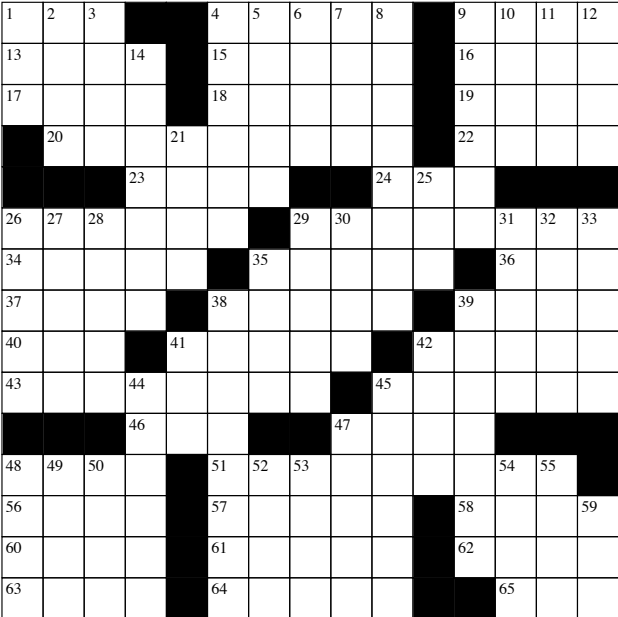
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- 4. Penitential practices
- 9. Sets
- 13. Gather
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- 16. Landed
- 17. Prefix for room or date
- 18. Horned animal, for short
- 19. Narrow way
- 20. Savior
- 22. Augury
- 23. Greek Orthodox artwork
- 24. Breather’s need
- 26. Dreaded malady
- 29. Appeared nervous
- 34. Epic by Homer
- 35. Collectible figurine
- 36. Nice friend
- 37. Secluded valley
- 38. Word with strip or book
- 39. OAS member
- 40. Govt. agcy. from 1946-75
- 41. City on the Rhone
- 42. Grand adjuster
- 43. Reuben-maker’s need
- 45. Napoleon, for one
- 46. Professionals’ org.
- 47. Seasoning
- 48. Summon
- 51. South Pacific islanders
- 56. Russian sea
- 57. Wed
- 58. Part
- 60. Dieter’s drink of old
- 61. Showed again
- 62. Letter opener
- 63. Direction
- 64. Beverage containers
- 65. Caustic soap ingredient

DOWN

- 1. Historical period
- 2. Give for a time
- 3. Partner
- 4. Zeal
- 5. Grayish
- 6. Prison: slang
- 7. Muscle quality
- 8. Irregular
- 9. In abundance
- 10. Old western actor Jack
- 11. Hold the ____; stand firm
- 12. British submachine gun
- 14. Louisiana’s state bird
- 21. Frosted
- 25. “__ to Pieces Over You”
- 26. Groucho’s prop
- 27. Stray cat’s milieu
- 28. Caroline, to Ted
- 29. Became very annoyed
- 30. Flower with three petals
- 31. Jeer at
- 32. Smoldering piece
- 33. Personal book
- 35. Vending machine purchase
- 38. Being
- 39. Creamy dessert
- 41. Location of the humerus
- 42. Foot-leg connectors
- 44. Item that is cast
- 45. Communion plates
- 47. Stringed instrument
- 48. Lawsuit
- 49. Vicinity
- 50. Fails to keep up
- 52. Over
- 53. Charter
- 54. Carol
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The Presidency

The POTUS gets crazier every day
Men in white coats should take him away
He keeps Muslim's away from our soil
Except for those with lots of oil
He's smarter than generals and the CIA
But reporters, they're evil, keep them away!
He builds a wall to keep Mexicans out
Yet, "I LOVE the Mexicans," he shouts
He pushes his daughter's clothing line
Yet Nordstrom's cuts orders, they're not really so fine
And the EPA is no longer useful
Bad water and air, now *that's* truthful
We'll drill in the forests for money all day
How will we live when it's all gone away?
The military gets money for big bombs and guns
Sounds like our "happiness" will be no fun
To keep us free, keep others out
The president knows all, he's got the clout
He's smart and good and "UGE" as can be
"No one has ever been as good as me."
He's smarter than di Vinci and Einstein for sure
What kind of bait is he using to lure?
He's "famous" and can do whatever he wants
Grope "pussies" of ladies and make rude taunts
He respects no one unless they are rich
Well, ain't that just a real stinkin' bitch?
The country's in chaos, that is true
So now "We the people," what should we do?
Keep speaking our truths and keep fighting the fight
The day will come when we'll see the light!

Louise Bacon-Ogden
Eureka

Sacrificial eucalyptus trees

Not only is the proposed safety corridor deconstruction project between Arcata and Eureka a waste of highway funds, Caltrans in all its wisdom is planning to eliminate the iconic euclayptus trees, stating safety and maintenance concerns.

As far as the safety of the roadway, if that is such a concern to Caltrans, then why is the posted speed limit scheduled to be increased from 50 mph to to 65 mph, which is the main object of the project, even though the 50 mph speed limit has all but eliminated injury accidents.

Granted, the eucalyptus trees could pose a safety concern, but like all trail systems, the users need to use caution and be observant. As far as maintenance, volunteers could be utilized to keep the trail clear.

Caltrans is using the eucalyptus trees just as they created safety issues in the corridor to justify the reconstruction project.

❖ LETTERS

These iconic trees have been saved in the past, and they can be saved again. Let your feelings be known.

Scott R. Baker
McKinleyville

School libraries matter

School libraries are the great equalizers of public education. No matter what a student's household income is, the school library can offer access to books, internet, computers, printers, and the help of a credentialed librarian. A credentialed librarian matters as much as a funded library.

Several long term studies directly link student success in reading to credentialed librarians at schools. School librarians not only offer crucial support in teaching literacy and Common Core Standards, but they also design learning commons to encourage students to communicate, collaborate, and innovate – as well as offering a safe place to just hang out or read.

School librarians are essential in helping students and teachers navigate the flood of information and resources available to them. Librarians focus on information literacy – the ability to effectively locate, evaluate, and utilize information correctly, and the evaluation part can be tricky.

The words "fake news" are prominent because technology can quickly disseminate falsehoods and biased opinions as though they were facts. As technology allows easy manipulation of data, students must analyze every information source.

Compared to when I was in school, students have more work to do to find good sources of information for both their daily life and academics. As a student, I looked at books, newspapers, and magazines – sources I could hold and flip through. There were fewer sources, they were curated by a librarian, and they went through a publishing process to guarantee quality.

Now everyone can be a publisher. At best, this gives a platform to all voices in our community. At worst, it allows for extreme bias and flagrant misinformation. Understanding how to access quality information is necessary to sustain a democratic society.

Students need training to wade through the hundreds of websites, blogs, videos, etc. that are returned in a simple Google search and to evaluate what is showing up on their social media. They need to learn how to question and research publishers, author's credentials, and where the information originated.

For example, have you heard that 10 teenagers die each day from texting and driving? Google it. Then search the

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration site and you'll find that statistic is manufactured from a report that states 9 percent of all distracted drivers who died (3,477 drivers) were teens, and texting is one distraction.

The misinformation that 10 teens a day (3650 teens a year) die from texting and driving is cited on dozens of websites and in even more comment posts, all from a statistic being misrepresented.

Even professionals do not always research where their "facts" are coming from before sharing them, which only reinforces it is more important than ever to train our students to be information literate.

This is where school librarians come in. They hold degrees in library and information science, as well as teaching credentials for pedagogical practices. They are trained to promote reading, teach research skills, integrate technology with curriculum, and offer equitable access to technology and books. Years ago, California had several thousand credentialed librarians in schools, but due to budget cuts there are currently around 700. The poorest, and most rural, California schools cut their credentialed librarians even though there is definitive proof that students are more successful with librarians on staff. Now that funding is being restored, we must reinstate our school librarians.

Today, there are only four fully credentialed school librarians in teaching positions in Humboldt County: Arcata High's Librarian (me) Jennifer Berube, Fortuna Middle's Librarian/Gate Coordinator Jana Reveles, Eureka District's Librarian Ruth Mitchell, and HCOE's Librarian/Learning Specialist Ryan Keller (McKinleyville High's Librarian Marsha Mielke is finishing a leave; the position is being filled by Naomi Hill, earning her Librarian degree).

Twenty-four states in our country require credentialed librarians. California does not. We rely on local school districts to do what is best for student learning and success.

Northern Humboldt Union has shown it understands libraries are essential learning commons by funding improved facilities, technology, and a fulltime library teacher at each comprehensive high school.

April is School Library month. It is a time to thank the wonderful clerical library personnel who keep our local school libraries going, often in part-time positions. But it is also time to ask our local administrators and school boards, when will we bring back our credentialed librarians to support students, library clerks, and teachers?

Because school librarians matter just as much as the libraries and the students who utilizes them.

Jennifer Berube
Library Media Teacher
Peer Tutoring Coordinator
Arcata High School

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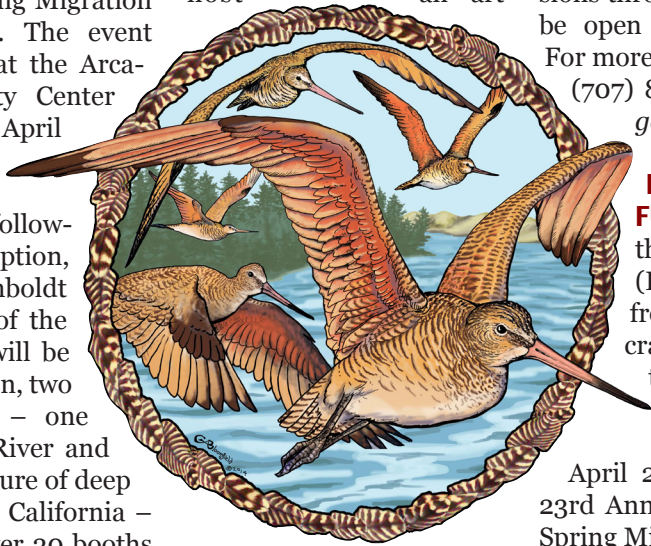
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GODWIT DAYS RECEPTION All are invited to a free Opening Reception for the 23rd Annual Godwit Days Spring Migration Bird Festival. The event will be held at the Arcata Community Center on Friday, April 20 from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Immediately following the reception, the fifth Humboldt County Bird of the Year Award will be given out. Then, two free lectures – one on the Mad River and one on the future of deep forest owls in California – will occur. Over 20 booths – commercial vendors and nonprofit and governmental organizations – will participate in the Bird Fair. Nearly 800 entries



show and sale. Silent Auction items will be available for bidding and Godwit Days shirts (featuring artwork by Pa-

tricia Sundgren Smith) and other merchandise will be for sale. Registration for field trips and other sessions through April 24 will be open until 6:30 p.m. For more information, call (707) 826-7050 or visit godwitdays.org.

FOAM FAMILY FUN Friends of the Arcata Marsh (FOAM) will host free family nature craft activities at the Arcata Community Center on Saturday, April 21 as part of the 23rd Annual Godwit Days Spring Migration Bird Festival. Activities will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Arts & Crafts Room. Stations will include making Marsh critter ornaments, rock owls, paper bird hats, handprint peace doves, and oyster shell magnets. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

BREAKFAST IN BAYSIDE Bring the family to Breakfast in Bayside at the Bayside Community Hall on Sunday, April 22 at 8 a.m. to noon, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. This quarter's gourmet breakfast features live music by The Vanishing Pints and includes the 10th Annual Electric Vehicle Show in celebration of Earth Day, with Mimosas for sale, so bring your IDs! Tickets for breakfast are \$8, \$5 for kids and seniors, ages 80-plus and under 2 are free. (707) 822-9998, baysidecommunityhall@gmail.com, [facebook.com/baysidecommunityhall](https://www.facebook.com/baysidecommunityhall), [baysidecommunityhall.org](https://www.baysidecommunityhall.org).

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FULL HOUSE The D Street Neighborhood Center was packed for the Life Celebration of David Josiah Lawson Sunday night. KLH | UNION

Tumult | ‘Justice for Josiah can be found’

❖ **FROM A3**
Chapman's resignation was a personal decision. Meanwhile, APD's lieutenants are serving as acting chiefs, with an interim chief to be named this week. Chapman's resignation followed the resignation of former FBI Special Agent Tom Parker, who had been serving pro bono as an outside investigator on the Lawson case. Diemer said Chapman was unaware of Parker's departure at the time.

For months, questions to the city about the apparent lack of progress on the Lawson case were met with the response that Parker was carefully auditing the evidence and that more evidence still being analyzed.

But in a revelatory interview with Lorna Bryant on KHSU-FM, the softspoken Parker roundly slammed the City of Arcata, Diemer and Chapman for bungling the Lawson case.

Parker faulted the city on multiple grounds. Astoundingly, and despite the heavy pressure on APD to get results, Parker said that the department wasn't pursuing the matter with any real enthusiasm, or even following basic police procedure, and had repeatedly refused key outside assistance offered by others.

Problems with the investigation, Parker said, include poor communication with Diemer and Chapman; being "lied to" by Chapman; poor communication between the city and the District Attorney's Office; failure to ask key questions of witnesses; failure to do forensic examinations of the murder weapon; failure to obtain search warrants for other key evidence; failure to keep Charmaine Lawson, Josiah's mother, informed about the case; and what appeared to be an overall lassitude or disinterest in the case.

He said the preliminary hearing of initial suspect Kyle Zoellner was mishandled with use of multiple, contradictory witnesses.

He said District Attorney Maggie Fleming told him that her office had gotten no notification from APD that a murder had occurred, in violation of policy. He said Fleming told him that an offer of assistance to APD was declined.

That and other lapses of standard protocol, he said, were frustrating, inexplicable and inconsistent with his experience in how murder investigations are handled.

"Why?" Parker said he

asked himself. "What's holding this up? There's no logical explanation."

He didn't rule out what he called a "subtle, abject racism" acting "like a wet blanket" over the investigation. He said he was "being astonished quite regularly" by glaring shortcomings in the case's handling.

"In going back through the files, I could see where things just started to stop," he said.

Parker said he had called Diemer to notify her of his intentions to leave the case after he was lied to about an undisclosed matter by Chapman, and that Diemer asked him to stay on while she talked things over with the chief and Lt. Detective Todd Dokweiler. But, he said, he never heard anything back and after a couple of weeks, gave up and resigned.

Parker said he wouldn't rule out returning to the case, but only with different and better investigators. "There's no question in my mind that it is solvable," Parker said. "I think justice for Josiah can be found. He deserves it."

Volunteers bail

Already short staffed, APD has also suffered the loss of longtime volunteers from its Citizens Volunteer Patrol Program (CVPP).

The troubles began when head volunteer Paul Wilson made a Facebook post about wearing a hoodie that some considered racially insensitive and possibly in violation of APD's policy on social media postings. This and subsequent posts triggered a complaint to the city, and Wilson was called in for counseling.

But the conservative, affable and outspoken former City Councilmember wasn't going to be stifled.

On April 9, he posted, "Today with some sadness I am no longer a member of the Arcata Police Volunteer group. I leave because i can not donate my time to a city that does not [want] freedom of speech. This has never been about the Arcata Police. Its about City Hall and the City Council. But I am not going away. It just gives me more time to fight for our statue to stay."

Wilson's departure was followed by the resignations of volunteers Fred Jamison and Dan Hauser.

Hauser, a former City Councilmember who was key to the liberal reforms of the 1970s, was sympathetic to Wilson. "It was my understanding that Paul was forced out because of his strong opinions," Hauser said, suggesting pressure from unidentified City Councilmembers. "There may be a connection with Tom Chapman's resignation in that he was required to carry out the council orders."

Said Hauser, "Fred [Jamison] and I both feel that Paul's First Amendment rights were violated. We both disagree with Paul on a lot of political issues. On the other hand he has the right to his opinions. Paul and I served together on City Council and I am very aware of his far right opinions... I doubt if very many will remain in the Arcata Volunteer Patrol at this time."

Diemer said the CVPP is carrying on, but may do more recruitment to bolster its enervated ranks.

Statue petitions

Meanwhile, those opposing the council's Feb. 21 decision to remove the statue of William McKinley from the Plaza got their petition drive underway over the weekend.

On Monday, April 9, City Attorney Nancy Diamond delivered the formal Ballot Title and Summary for the measure. It would reverse the council decision and prohibit the statue's removal. A required legal notice was then published in the *Times-Standard*, and as of Friday, April 13, signature gathering got underway.

City Councilmember Michael Winkler, a statue supporter, said petitioners are going door-to-door to collect signatures. They were also working Friday's Arts! Arcata and the Saturday Farmers' Market.

Though just 10 percent of Arcata's 9,611 registered voters must sign the petition in order to qualify the ballot measure, Winkler said that petitioners are hoping to obtain 1,200 signatures, since some will likely be invalid.

But the previous deadline for gathering the signatures, May 29, has been moved up to May 1, cutting an entire month out of the planned signature-gathering window. That is forcing the statue-keepers to scramble to enlist qualified petitioners to gather the 1,200 signatures in just 2 1/2 weeks.

The reasons, according to Humboldt County Elections Manager Judy Hedgepeth, involve the various deadlines the petition must meet in order for a measure to appear on the Nov. 6 ballot.

She said the signature-laden petitions will arrive at the county elections office "right about when the June election is happening, and we can't jump all over it and push it out as we normally would."

Once the petitions are delivered to the elections office, Hedgepeth and her staff have 30 days to ascertain their validity. Signatures are compared to those on file, and voters' addresses may also be checked.

If the petition is certified, Hedgepeth said, it is then kicked back to the Arcata City Council, who must declare a special election and ask the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors to consolidate that special election with the regular election.

Hedgepeth confirmed that the petitions are not public records and signatories will be kept confidential.

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GREAT HUMBOLDT TRIVIA CHALLENGE Humboldt Literacy Project's main annual fundraiser, the Great Humboldt Trivia Challenge, is Thursday, April 19, 5:30 p.m. at the Eureka Woman's Club. The Trivia Challenge centers around an evening of friendly, cutthroat trivia competition. Teams that don't know the correct answers may compete for funniest wrong answer and be awarded prizes by the Humor Judge. Audience members may have their correct answers entered into a 50/50 raffle. Event sponsor Rita's Cafe will provide a dinner of delicious tacos, and there will be a no-host bar, a silent auction and a literary themed costume contest for players and audience members who wish to dress as a favorite author or character from literature, with prizes for team and individual costumes. Proceeds support the mission and work of Humboldt Literacy Project. Tickets are \$10, \$15 at the door. For more information, visit humlit.org or call (707) 445-3655.

Noel Coward's *Hay Fever*



FEVERISH FUNNIES Mickey Donovan, Susan Abbey, JM Wilkerson, Shawn Wagner in *Hay Fever*. SUBMITTED PHOTO

HUMBOLDT STATE DEPT. OF THEATRE, FILM AND DANCE

HUMBOLDT STATE – The Theatre, Film and Dance Department at Humboldt State University presents *Hay Fever* by Noel Coward, written in 1924 and first produced in 1925. Best described as a cross between high farce and a comedy of manners, the play is set in an English country house in the 1920s, and deals with the four eccentric members of the Bliss family and their outlandish behavior when they each invite a guest to spend the weekend. The self-centered behavior of the hosts finally drives their guests to flee while the Blisses are so engaged in a family row that they do not notice their guests' furtive departure.

The production is directed by HSU Department of Theatre, Film and Dance Professor James McHugh. McHugh describes the play as "a comedy, which is part farce and part comedy of manners, the whole is a screwball comedy. Unconventional, risqué, theatrical and often downright rude, the Blisses are everything an upper-crust English family should not be, they are a divinely mad family." For the actors, McHugh believes the play encompasses three complimentary acting styles: screwball comedy (the dynamic conflict between etiquette and insanity; silent screen acting (the dramatic gestures that need no words); and simple natural family conversations. He adds that the play is "written in the highest mood of fantastic comedy, it is deliciously heartless and therefore deliciously alive and fresh." The talented cast of nine actors includes student, faculty and community actors. They are supported by a team of student and faculty designers: scenic and lighting designs are by Derek Lane, costume design by Izzy Ceja, sound design by Cory Stewart, properties design by Ray Gutierrez and make-up and wig design by Angelica Negrete.

Hay Fever opens April 27 and continues April 28 and May 4 and 5 at 7:30 p.m. in Gist Hall Theatre on campus. There will be two matinee performance beginning at 2 p.m. on Sundays, April 29 and May 6. The play contains mature content and while there is no profanity, the subject matter is full of complicated relationships and sexual innuendo amid a sophisticated bohemian weekend house party. General admission is \$10. Students and Seniors are \$8. Lot parking is free on weekends. For tickets, call (707) 826-3928 or online at centerarts.humboldt.edu/Online/. For more information, call (707) 826-3566.

Lacey Berns' wild salmon – fresh from Alaska to Arcata's Farmers' Market



SET SEINER Lacey Berns with her 100 percent wild Alaskan salmon. JANINE VOLKMAR | UNION

Lacey Berns is holding her canopy steady in the wind with one hand and selling wild salmon with the other hand at the first big Arcata Farmers' Market of the season. She's a woman who isn't daunted by a little wind and rain because she's lived through 40 summers of fishing in Alaska. It's hard work and some adventure and sometimes, lots of fun.

She described her first set net setup in Alaska as a spot where several unsolved murders had occurred and where she had to climb out on big rocks to set her nets.

Now she's got a beauty of a spot and her husband has rigged up a crane-like device to unload the fish, making their lives easier. The kids, Hunter, Ria, Leslie, Edin, and Galen, are all fishermen. It's a way of life, harvesting five species of wild salmon in the waters of the Kodiak Island

Archipelago.

That salmon is flash-frozen or smoked and has made its way to the market on the Plaza. It's quite a journey.

Berns and her family carry on the tradition of set seiners, those folks who stake out their spot on the shoreline and harvest fish. There are some legendary spots because of biology and topography and there are some not so great spots. Algae can be an issue as can those pirates of the industry, the purse seiners. Those are the small boats that run their nets out in a huge circle and then draw up the strings tightly, not unlike a woman drawing up the strings of a purse. Hence the name.

Set seiners, my friend the purse seiner informs me, are the mom-and-pop workers in the trade and account for about 70 percent of the catch in the season. They live off the land.

The salmon fishery takes all kinds; folks come from around the world to work it.

Alaska's wild salmon roam freely in the icy waters of the North Pacific: chinook, sockeye, coho, chum, and pink, according to the Kodiak Catch label.

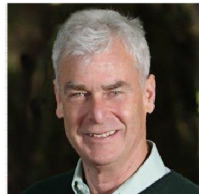
Berns has been selling at the market since 2003. She and the Oyster Lady add to the variety of foods that can be purchased directly from farmers or fishermen. Add meat and eggs to the mix and the markets expand the footprint of beautiful lettuce and succulent tomatoes exponentially. In Humboldt we are so blessed to be able to shop the farmers' markets five days a week and blessed by the ocean's harvest.

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Earth Day is just around the corner, and while we use this special day to remember to take care of the earth, I just want to remind everyone that we should be celebrating earth day, every day, through our work and actions.

One way all Blue Lakers can help make our world a better place is through the City's Parks and Recreation "Adopt-a-spot" program. There are several little areas throughout the city that need a little TLC. The 8th grade class from Blue Lake School has already decided to adopt the planter boxes behind the Museum, and will soon be sprucing the up with flowers and greenery.

And while we are on the

subject of the Blue Lake Museum, don't forget to stop by every Thursday, Friday, and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. to see the history of the area. You can

also support the Blue Lake Museum by attending the bi-annual Salad Luncheon on Thurs., April 26 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Mad River Grange. Pat Spini's famous

beans, made by Barb Hash, will of course be served, along with favorites like Jell-O-pretzel salad, frog-eye salad and deviled eggs.

And with that, I should note there will be no Blue Lake Notes next week, as it is spring break. Have a wonderful time, especially when you come out to visit Blue Lake!



❖ BLUE LAKE NOTES
April Sousa

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See crossword on page A5

On The House...



Joanie and John Frederick

HOME IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

Many homeowners launch home improvement projects with the primary objective of increasing the value of the property. A recent study by House Doctors Handyman Services identified the projects that are least likely to enhance a home's value.

While upgrades and remodeling can add significant resale value to a home, there is a line that can be crossed. Building a large addition to a house or making it twice as big as other homes in the neighborhood could be counter-productive. It pays to make improvements or additions consistent with other nearby homes. Luxury features such as a spa or tennis court will probably cost more than they increase the home's value with swimming pools being the least lucrative. Structural repairs, such as fixing cracked foundations, rewiring, replacing the roof or plumbing will cost more than can be recouped when the home is sold.

Moderately priced cosmetic enhancements made immediately before a home's sale actually yield the highest returns. Home shoppers are attracted to well-groomed landscaping and clean and de-cluttered interiors with new, neutral paint.

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Art, music, dinner and continued cell service

The Trinidad School Library and first grade class will hold a Tri-tip Dinner on Friday, May 4 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Trinidad School during the first Trinidad Art Night of the season. All of the community is invited to enjoy the meal. Each dinner ticket is \$10 and includes Tri-tip, baked potato, baked beans, salad and a roll. A vegetarian option is Grilled Portabella-Vegetable Medley. For dessert, cupcakes will be for sale. You and your family can dine in the school gym or you can pre-order your dinners to take home.

The Trinidad School Library and first grade class are raising funds for new science kits and listening center compact disc players. Barbara May and Jeny Giraud are organizing the event. Dinner tickets are pre-sale only and must be paid by May 2. For information, call Jeny Giraud at (707) 599-9152, or pick up a dinner order form at Trinidad School.

More on Trinidad Art Nights

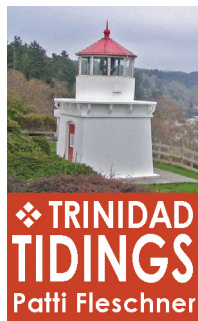
Community Arts Trinidad (CAT) presents Trinidad Art Nights' eighth season on first Fridays from 6 and 9 p.m. at indoor and outdoor venues all over Trinidad between May and October. "Chakeeta" Marie Garabedian and Tim Breed are the program directors who organize art, music, children's activities, fire dancing and more.

Community Arts Trinidad is a non-profit organization created by Trinidad community members in a grassroots effort to develop and support Trinidad Art Nights. CAT is a DreamMaker Project, fiscally sponsored by the Ink People Center for the Arts and local businesses and organizations. CAT's mission statement is "to build community and commerce through the arts."

On May 4, Trinidad School is the location for one of the Art Nights events. Another, in Trinidad Town Hall, is the fortieth anniversary celebration of the formation of the Trinidad Coastal Land Trust in 1978, to which all are welcome.

It is clear that the fun of Trinidad Art Nights benefits the entire community of service organizations and businesses as events are planned around first Fridays. Find out more how you can participate as a sponsor, artist,

musician, or venue by contacting Chakeeta at (707) 497-9767 or Tim at (707) 502 5737, by emailing trinidadart95570@gmail.com or go to trinidadartnights.com.



Fifth District Voter Forum April 27

The Humboldt County Association of Realtors announces a Voter's Forum with Fifth District County Supervisor candidates Ryan Sundberg, incumbent, and Steve Madrone on Friday, April 27 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Azalea Hall in McKinleyville. Voters in the Fifth District, which includes Trinidad, Orick, McKinleyville, Blue Lake, and Willow Creek, are invited to participate.

City Council hears Trinidad cell tower testimony

A Verizon representative presented arguments for extending the cell tower lease on Trinidad Head city property for another year past the current lease termination date of September 2018. He showed maps of areas where two additional cell towers are up and running and explained that a crucial third one in Westhaven is being negotiated. Verizon, which hosts AT&T and Sprint service on its towers as well, needs the additional time to insure the widest possible area Internet and cell phone coverage before the Trinidad Head towers are dismantled.

Assistant Fire Chief Dick Kieselhorst presented the emergency services argument for maintaining consistent cell phone service. He said that all Trinidad Volunteer Fire Department volunteers carry cell phones and that the efficiency of using the GPS and other functions of a cell phone is critical for quick responses. He demonstrated use of the older technology of pagers and radios, which are not as reliable. Some audience members in last week's regular City Council meeting want the cell towers to go away no matter what. Others expressed the need for uninterrupted modern technology and spoke for allowing an extension. The City Council voted 3-2 to allow an extension of the Verizon lease.

In other council matters, City Manager Dan Berman reported that a closed session meeting with repre-

sentatives from the City Tsurai Management Team, the City Attorney, the Yurok Tribe, and the Tsurai Ancestral Society was held last week. Members of the community have called for open meetings where minutes are taken and where stakeholder neighbors near the 12.5 acre Tsurai Study Area, including the Cher-ae Heights Indian Community of the Trinidad Rancheria, the Trinidad Civic Club, and Trinidad residents, can take part in the discussions, which have been held in closed session for over a decade. Mayor Susan Rotwein said that the matter will be taken up in the May City Council meeting.

Third Friday Blues Through the Years and Song Village at WCA

Westhaven Center for the Arts presents Blues Through the Years on Friday, April 20 at 7 p.m., 501 South Westhaven Drive. Jim Lahman, guitar, Ron Perry, harmonica, Bill Moehnke, drums and Dale Cash, bass, will perform blues from the turn of the century to today. Dancing invited. \$5 to \$10 sliding scale admission.

Musician in Residence Seabury Gould will lead folk songs for all to enjoy at Song Village set for Sunday, April 22 from 1 to 3 p.m. at WCA. All are invited. Call (707) 845-8167 for inquiries or go to seaburygould.com.

'Growing Up in Trinidad' with Scott Baker and Roland Johnson

Guest speakers at Trinidad Museum's Annual Meeting, to be held on Sunday, April 29 at 2 p.m., Trinidad Museum, 400 Janis Court, will be long time Trinidadians Scott Baker and Roland Johnson, who were Trinidad School and Cub Scout buddies in the 1950s. Scott grew up on Stagecoach Road. His parents were the owners of Baker Store, now the Beachcomber Cafe. Roland grew up on Edwards Street in the home that is today's Trinidad Bay Bed and Breakfast. The pair of energetic boyhood friends have priceless tales to relate about the joys and hazards of being raised in a fishing village where they were free to wander, explore, and learn. Members and guests cordially invited to attend. A short business meeting and election of directors will precede the presentation. Seating limited. Call (707) 499-9729 for information.

Email Patti at baycity@sonic.net.

GENGER LAUNCHES SHIFT HAPPENS Margot Jarvis Genger launches her memoir *Shift Happens* on Friday, April 20 at 7 p.m. at Northtown Books, 957 H St. Genger writes with a poet's heart, a truck driver's focus, and a tourist's eye. She transports us across America's breathtaking landscapes and urban blight all while trying to stay sober and neutralize her own demons. I'm glad I went along for the ride. — Neil Tarpey, author of *Flashes of Lightning*.

HSU WIND ENSEMBLE Join the HSU Department of Music and conductor Paul Cummings for an evening of iconic music for band performed by the HSU Wind Ensemble on Friday, April 20 at 8 p.m. in Fulkerson Recital Hall. One highlight of the evening will be the Tuba Concerto by Ralph Vaughan-Williams, featuring Fred Tempas as soloist. Also highlighted are two works by Leonard Bernstein in recognition of the centennial of his birth, Danzon from Fancy Free and Three Dance Preludes from On the Town, as well as works by diverse composers like Percy Grainger, Kurt Weill, and Arturo Marquez. This concert will be the culmination of eight performances in six days as the HSU Wind Ensemble completes a northern California concert tour to the communities of Ukiah, Lakeport, Kelseyville, Santa Rosa, and Petaluma. \$10 General, \$5 Senior/Child, FREE for HSU students with ID.

VINES BY THE SEA Boys & Girls Club of the Redwoods, with McKinleyville Community Services District, is hosting the First Annual Vines by the Sea: Celebration of Hops & Grapes beer and wine festival. This festival will be the first of its kind in McKinleyville, and will feature local, as well as out of area breweries and wineries, in addition to local food vendors Saturday, April 21 from 1 to 5 p.m. at Pierson Park in McKinleyville. Tickets are \$35, are now available at Wildberries Marketplace, Six Rivers Brewery, Lost Coast Brewery, McKinleyville Community Service

District, Boys & Girls Club of the Redwoods Administrative Office and online at bgcredwoods.org/vinesbythesea.

STONEFIELD/MS. GOD Four Australian sisters ages 19-24 make up the earthen psych-rock opal that is Stonefield, who recently completed a tour of Australia directly supporting Fleetwood Mac. They have a fan in Stevie with their stoner rock anthems and will soon have a fan in you. Don't miss their Arcata debut with opening support from locals Ms God Saturday, April 21 t 9 p.m. at the Miniplex, 401 I St. Arcata. This show is 21 and up.

OYSTERFEST KICKOFF AT VETS HALL Arcata Main Street Oyster Festival hosts the fourth-annual Oyster Fest Kick-Off Party on Saturday, May 5 from 5 to 10 p.m. at the Arcata Vets Hall, 1425 J St. Oyster farmers from Humboldt Bay will be shucking oysters on the half shell, including appetizers and a craft cocktail bar with local beverages. A full musical lineup will get your feet shuffling out onto the dancefloor with performances by Ruby & Ary Guilette, The Kentucky Warblers and Cold Blue Water. Vintage OysterFest posters will be on display along with information about local oyster farming. Proceeds will be donated to Arcata Main Street's Plaza Watershed Program.

BEING HERE NOW ART SHOW Area 1 Agency on Aging Presents 6th Annual "Being Here Now" Art Show Celebrating Older Americans Month. Artists of age 60 and better are invited to submit a maximum of two (2) pieces for this judged and juried show. Submission fee is \$15/ piece. Please only submit pieces not shown at this venue before and use one form per entry. Artists will be awarded prizes at 6 p.m. on Saturday, May 5, during which cash prizes of \$200, \$150, and \$100 will be announced. Artwork will be displayed for May and June. Art can be for sale or not for sale.

LEGAL NOTICES

**CITY OF ARCATA
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
736 F STREET
ARCATA, CA
(707) 825-2128**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
FOR
ARCATA FUTSAL COURT PROJECT**

The City of Arcata is soliciting bids for the ARCATA FUTSAL COURT PROJECT.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521, until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday May 8, 2018, at which time they will be transferred to the City Council Chambers where they will be publicly opened and read aloud by the City Engineer or his designated representative. Said bids will be referred to the Arcata City Council for consideration at their next regularly scheduled meeting on or after May 16, 2018.

Bids received after the specified opening time will not be considered. The bidder is solely responsible for the timely delivery of his bid.

CONTRACTOR shall possess a Class "A" license at the time this contract is bid or a combination of classes required by the categories and type of work included in this contract.

This CONTRACT is subject to State contract non-discrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND PROPOSAL forms for bidding this PROJECT will be available after April 17, 2016:

For download from City Website HYPERLINK "<http://www.cityofarcata.org>" www.cityofarcata.org under "Bid on a Project".

Street, Arcata, CA 95521), and will be followed by a project site walk-through.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521, until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday May 8, 2018, at which time they will be transferred to the City Council Chambers where they will be publicly opened and read aloud by the City Engineer or his designated representative. Said bids will be referred to the Arcata City Council for consideration at their next regularly scheduled meeting on or after May 16, 2018.

Bids received after the specified opening time will not be considered. The bidder is solely responsible for the timely delivery of his bid.

CONTRACTOR shall possess a Class "A" license at the time this contract is bid or a combination of classes required by the categories and type of work included in this contract.

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PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND PROPOSAL forms for bidding this PROJECT will be available after April 17, 2016:

For download from City Website HYPERLINK "<http://www.cityofarcata.org>" www.cityofarcata.org under "Bid on a Project".

For purchase at City Manager's Office, 736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521. A printing charge of \$40.00 shall not be refundable, plus a shipping and handling fee of \$35.00 for mailing of PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS. Checks payable to the City of Arcata and shall be mailed or delivered in person to the Property and Special Projects Manager.

For viewing at City Manager's Office, 736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521 and at the Humboldt Builder's Exchange, 1213 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501.

The successful bidder shall furnish a payment bond and performance bond.

The City of Arcata hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The above PROJECT is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. Each contractor or subcontractor listed on the bid proposal must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. [with limited exceptions from

this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1 (a)].

Pursuant to Section 1733 of the Labor Code, the Director of California Department of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages. Bidders should contact the Department of Industrial Relations at (415) 703-4281 for General Prevailing Wage Rates on specific job classifications. Future effective wage rates, which have been predetermined, are on file with the California Department of Industrial Relations. Bidders are advised that if they intend to use a craft or classification not on file in the general wage determinations, they may be required to pay the wage rate of that craft or classification most closely related to it as shown in the general determinations.

The above PROJECT is subject to uniform construction cost accounting procedures as set forth in the California Public Contracts Code, Section 22000 et seq., the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act.

All bidders shall be licensed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

Katie Marsolan, Property and Special Projects Manager
April 13, 2018

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00213

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
PACIFIC CREST DISTRIBUTION
5720 WEST END RD
ARCATA, CA 95521
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
PACIFIC CREST DISTRIBUTION INC.
5720 WEST END ROAD
ARCATA, CA 95521

This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
S/ ERIC WIGGIN, CFO
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on APRIL 13, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SC DEPUTY CLERK

4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF BETTY WYONIA ROSS
CASE NO.: PR180088

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **BETTY WYONIA ROSS.**

Petition for Probate has been filed by: **PENNY ROSS** in the Superior Court of California, County of HUMBOLDT.

The Petition for Probate requests that: **PENNY ROSS** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
Date: MAY 10, 2018
Time: 2:00 PM
Dept.: 6
Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA, 95501.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250, A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for the petitioner:
ZACHARY CURTIS, GALE & NIELSEN
2850 HARRIS ST
EUREKA, CA 95503
(707) 269-0167

4/18, 4/25, 5/2

INVITATION FOR BID
TIMBER HARVEST – CITY OF ARCATA – ARCATA COMMUNITY FOREST – 2018

Sealed bids for 2018 timber harvest will be received at the office of the City Clerk, 736 F Street, Arcata, California, until 4:30 p.m. Monday April 30, 2018 at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The successful bidder shall:
A. Fall, buck, yard, load and deliver to a designated locations approximately 415 MBF of Redwood; 50 MBF Douglas fir logs manufactured from a 20 acre 110 year old stand of timber located in the City's Jacoby Creek Community Forest Section 30 & 28, T5N, R1E, HB&M. *total volume 465-500 MBF. This harvest will require cable logging due to the moderately steep terrain (see the harvest layout map). Machine bunching of logs to yarder corridors will be allowed on the lower Unit #4 (eight acres) and on slopes of 40% grade or less. All cable yarding corridors will be marked at least 1 month prior to the start of logging in the stand. The emphasis will be on quality logging and keeping stand impacts to a minimum. All trees will be bucked and limbed in the woods. There will be no machine processing at the landings.

B. Install designated erosion control measures following operations.
Each sealed envelope containing a bid must be plainly marked on the outside as "2018 Logging Bid." Specifications and bid forms may be obtained from the Contracts and Procurement Specialist, 736 F Street, Arcata, California. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The bid award may be made at the regularly scheduled Council Meeting of May 2, 2018.
A field "show-me" trip is scheduled for Friday April 20th 2018 at 9:00 a.m. Interested parties can meet Mark Andre, Director, Environmental Services Department, at the Arcata City Hall/Library parking lot; the entrance is east of F Street on 7th Street, Arcata, California. To make an alternative appointment for a "show-me" call (707) 822-8184 cell phone (707) 845-5804 or email mandre@cityofarcata.org. A tally sheet of marked tree diameters is available.

Submission of Bid
Original signed documents must be received by 4:30 p.m. on Monday April 30th, 2018 and mailed to the bid address.
Hand deliveries can be made at the bid address.

CITY OF ARCATA
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

DEPARTMENT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Community Development Department of the City of Arcata will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, May 2, 2018, at 6:00 PM in the City Council Chambers, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA. The purpose of the hearing is to obtain a closeout report and review the final project performance funded under Community Development Block Grant 14-CDBG-9811.

If you require special accommodations to participate in the public hearing, please contact the City Clerk at (707) 822-5953. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the City of Arcata, at 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521 or you may telephone Jennifer Dart at (707) 825-2112. In addition, information is available for review at the above address between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday. All CDBG projects must principally benefit low-income people. Additional information about the programs and eligible activities may be reviewed at the Community Development Department at City Hall. Lower income, minority persons, and women are especially encouraged to participate. Anyone desiring to present oral or written comments regarding this item may do so prior to or at the public hearing on Wednesday, May 2, 2018.

The City promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low income households without regard of age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual preference, marital status, or handicap.

4/18,

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00189

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

NORTHWEST INVESTMENT COMPANY
1450 BROADWAY ST
EUREKA, CA 95501
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
RICHARD W LITTLEFIELD
5300 CUMMINGS ROAD
EUREKA, CA 95501
BETTY J LITTLEFIELD
5300 CUMMINGS ROAD
EUREKA, CA 95501
CHRISTOPHER M PITZER
3415 OREGON STREET
EUREKA, CA 95503
STEVE M PITZER
3775 ERIE STREET
EUREKA CA 95501
SUZANNE J LITTLEFIELD
2518 F STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
BENJAMIN B LITTLEFIELD
2231 WYCLIFF LANE
EUREKA, CA 95503

This business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP
S/ RICHARD W. LITTLEFIELD
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MARCH 29, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SM DEPUTY CLERK

4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00198

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
NORTH COAST FABRICATORS
4801 WEST END RD
ARCATA, CA 95521
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
AQUATIC DESIGNING, INC
CA 2573014
4801 WEST END RD
ARCATA, CA 95521

This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
S/ TIMOTHY J CROWLEY
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on APRIL 9, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SE DEPUTY CLERK

4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00176

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
TRINIDAD MASSAGE AND DAY SPA
529 TRINITY ST
TRINIDAD, CA 95570
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
PO BOX 74
TRINIDAD CA 95570
KATHERINE T PERRY
1765 LUNSFORD AVE
MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
S/ KATHERINE PERRY
/OWNER
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MARCH 29, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SM DEPUTY CLERK

4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9

CITY OF ARCATA
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT
736 F STREET ARCATA, CA
(707) 822-8184

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR SOUTH JACOBY CREEK WETLAND ENHANCEMENT AND RESTORATION PROJECT
Engineer's Estimate \$520,620
The City of Arcata is soliciting bids for the SOUTH JACOBY CREEK WETLAND ENHANCEMENT AND RESTORATION PROJECT.
The WORK consists of furnishing all labor, materials, equipment, incidentals and implementation of all work required to perform: soil excavation, transport, placement, and grading of excavated material on a marsh plain to construct stream channels, planting islands, a riparian berm, and shallow wetlands; topsoil and sod salvage; placement of salvaged topsoil and sod as permanent ground stabilization; transportation of excess soil to an off-site reuse site, and establishment and maintenance of all environmental protection BMPs as depicted in the Plans and Specifications. Construction activities are limited to the limits of disturbance and soil reuse sites

as shown on Plans. Construction will occur in City of Arcata limits south of Jacoby Creek and north of Bayside Cutoff.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 23, at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will begin at the Arcata City Hall in the City Council Chamber (736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521, until 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 2, 2018, at which time they will be transferred to the City Council Chambers where they will be publicly opened and read aloud by the City Engineer or his designated representative. Said bids will be referred to the Arcata City Council for consideration at their next regularly scheduled meeting on or after May 16, 2018.

CONTRACTOR shall possess a Class "A" license at the time this contract is bid or a combination of classes required by the categories and type of work included in this contract.

This CONTRACT is subject to State contract non-discrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND PROPOSAL forms for bidding this PROJECT will be available after April 9, 2018;

• For download from City Website www.cityofarcata.org under "Bid on a Project";

• For viewing at City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521, and at the

Humboldt Builder's Exchange, 1213 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501.

• For purchase at City Manager's Office. A printing charge of \$100.00 shall not be refundable, plus a shipping and handling fee of \$35.00 is required for mailing of PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS (contact Property and Special Projects Manager-Katie Marsolan (707) 825-2101).

The successful bidder shall furnish a payment bond and performance bond.

The City of Arcata hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The above PROJECT is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. Each contractor or subcontractor listed on the bid proposal must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1 (a)].

Pursuant to Section 1733 of the Labor Code, the Director of California Department of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages. Bidders should contact the Department of Industrial Relations at (415) 703-4281 for General Prevailing Wage Rates on specific job classifications. Future effective wage rates, which have been predetermined, are on file with the California Department of Industrial Relations. Bidders are advised that if they intend to use a craft or classification not on file in the general wage determinations, they may be required to pay the wage rate of that craft of classification most closely related to it as shown in the general determinations.

All bidders shall be licensed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

The City of Arcata reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Katie Marsolan, Property and Special Projects Manager
April 6, 2018
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4/11, 4/18

CITATION FOR PUBLICATION UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE
SECTION 294

Case Name: Kayden Daniels
Case No. JV170072
To Jeremy Cringle and anyone claiming to be a parent of Kayden Daniels born on 4/11/2017 at Mad River Hospital, Arcata, CA.
A hearing will be held on 7/2/2018 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.
At the hearing the court will consider the recommendations of the social worker or probation officer.

The social worker or probation officer will recommend that your child be freed from your legal custody so that the child may be adopted. If the court follows the recommendation, all your parental rights to the child will be terminated. You have the right to be present at the hearing, to present evidence, and you have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you do not have an attorney and cannot afford to hire one, the court will appoint an attorney for you. If the court terminates your parental rights, the order may be final. The court will proceed with this hearing whether or not you are present.
ATTORNEY FOR: CHILD WELFARE SERVICES
JEFFREY S. BLANCK, COUNTY COUNSEL #115447
KATIE BACA, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #188031
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
(707) 445-7236
DATE: APRIL 5, 2018
Clerk, by Kim M. Bartleson, Deputy
4/11, 4/18, 4/25, 5/2

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JUDITH ELAINE CIGNETTI
CASE NO.: PR180047

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **JUDITH ELAINE CIGNETTI.**

Petition for Probate has been filed by: **THOMAS ERIC DANIELSON** in the Superior Court of California, County of HUMBOLDT.

The Petition for Probate requests that: **THOMAS ERIC DANIELSON** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
Date: MAY 3, 2018
Time: 2:00 PM
Dept.: 6

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You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250, A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for the petitioner:
DUSTIN E OWENS
310 THIRD STREET, SUITE D
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(707) 441-1185

4/11, 4/18, 4/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00186

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
CARTER HOUSE INNS
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EUREKA, CA 95501
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
HOTEL CARTER & WINE CELLAR INC.
301 L STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501

This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
S/ MARK CARTER
/PRESIDENT CEO
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on APRIL 4, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SM DEPUTY CLERK

4/11, 4/18, 4/25, 5/2

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00192

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

BAND ARTS
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MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
LISETTE E. SPEK
2520 BOLIER AVE.
MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
S/ LISETTE SPEK
/OWNER
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on APRIL 5, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SC DEPUTY CLERK

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AN INDIVIDUAL
S/ JESSE CARNES
/OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MARCH 16, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SE DEPUTY CLERK

3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00155

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

ATLAS ENGINEERING
252 G STREET
ARCATA, CA 95521
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
MICHAEL A. TAYLOR
252 G STREET
ARCATA, CA 95521

This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
S/ MICHAEL A. TAYLOR
/PRINCIPAL ENGINEER
This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MARCH 19, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
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3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/18

CITATION FOR PUBLICATION UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE
SECTION 294

Case Name: Carter Roosa
Case No. JV180029
1. To Jeffrey M. Roosa, Jr. and Sharon Spiers and anyone claiming to be a parent of Carter Roosa born on 1/19/2018 at Redwood Memorial Hospital, Fortuna, CA.

2. A hearing will be held on July 9, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.

3. At the hearing the court will consider the recommendations of the social worker or probation officer. The social worker or probation officer will recommend that your child be freed from your legal custody so that the child may be adopted. If the court follows the recommendation, all your parental rights to the child will be terminated.

4. You have the right to be present at the hearing, to present evidence, and you have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you do not have an attorney and cannot afford to hire one, the court will appoint an attorney for you.
5. If the court terminates your parental rights, the order may be final.
6. The court will proceed with this hearing whether or not you are present.
ATTORNEY FOR: CHILD WELFARE SERVICES
JEFFREY S. BLANCK, COUNTY COUNSEL #115447
DEBRA AVENMARG, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #271366
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
(707) 445-7236
DATE: MARCH 26, 2018
Clerk, by Kim M. Bartleson, Deputy
4/4, 4/11, 4/18

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
NGOC THI NGUYEN-BRADY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
CASE NO. CV180205
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: NGOC THI NGUYEN-BRADY to Proposed name JADE NGUYEN BRADY
2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Date: MAY 8, 2018
Time: 1:45 p.m.
Dept.: 4

3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.
Date: 3/13/18

JOYCE D. HINRICHS
Judge of the Superior
3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/18

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NOTICE OF VACANCY BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Due to the pending resignation of Director Linda Sundberg, effective at the conclusion of the May 15, 2018, Board meeting, a vacancy will exist for the position she occupied serving the Board of Directors of the Arcata Fire Protection District in Division 2.
As this appointment will occur in the second half of the term of office and more than 130 days prior to the next general district election, the appointment to fill the vacancy will expire on the first Friday in December 2018. Should the appointee desire to continue, he or she must file candidacy for the November 2018 General Election.
Prospective candidates must reside and be a registered voter within the boundaries of Division 2 of the Arcata Fire Protection District (Divi-

sion 2 includes all properties located south of Hiller Road in McKinleyville and the Glendale areas, north of the Mad River). The Board intends to make its appointment no later than June 29, 2018.

Any person interested in being considered for appointment to this seat on the Board of Directors is asked to submit an application of qualifications. Forms are available at any of the District fire stations or through the District website at www.arcatafire.org.

Applications can be mailed to the District Office at 2149 Central Avenue, McKinleyville, CA 95519 or dropped off Monday – Friday between 8am and 5pm, closed for lunch. Application deadline is April 30, 2018 at 4 p.m. – postmarks not accepted.

Questions concerning this appointment should be directed to the Clerk of the Board, at 825-2000. The Board will consider all applicants at the regular scheduled District Board meeting on May 15, 2018 at 5:30 p.m., 631 9th Street, Arcata CA.
Dated: March 30, 2018
By: Becky Schuette, Clerk of the Board
4/4, 4/11, 4/18, 4/25

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF WILLIAM ANTONE DUTRA
CASE NO.: PR180078
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **WILLIAM ANTONE DUTRA.**
Petition for Probate has been filed by: **ALBERT DUTRA** in the Superior Court of California, County of HUMBOLDT.

The Petition for Probate requests that: **ALBERT DUTRA** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:

Date: MAY 3, 2018
Time: 2:00 PM
Dept.: 6
Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA, 95501.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (

Hard-luck Harley needs a happy home

Heard more than once across the checkstand this past week: “There should be a lot of flowers in May!”

Looking at the weather forecast for this coming week, it looks like perhaps Spring is finally ready to commit to some sunshine. The shelter volunteers have been doing an impressive job getting all the dogs out for walks each day, adjusting their schedules and outerwear around the showers and downpours.

The sunny days feel like a treat and we try to make the most of those times by matching up dogs for some

playtime in the yard. We are all looking forward to a training program that will be coming later this summer. It’s a group called Dogs Play for Life and they teach shelters and rescues how to set up doggie playgroups.

Shelters where this program has been implemented have seen an increase in adoption rates and a reduction of behavioral issues. We already see such a reduction of stress in the dogs that have a regular play buddy; it will be great to have a program where everyone can join in the fun!

Some of the other fun things coming up include a



Harley

Saturday adoption event at the shelter on May 12 from noon to 4 pm. This could be a great time to bring the family and met the adoptable dogs and cats.

Remember the shelter is also regularly open late (till 7 p.m.) on Tuesdays and Thursdays. And you may remember Sparky the (Kinetic) Rescue Dog, who will be returning to this year’s Kinetic Sculpture race on Memorial Day Weekend. Sparky is getting in shape for his big yearly outing to represent Redwood Pals Rescue. Once again Sparky will have some of his adoptable friends in his entourage!

I have mentioned before that it is nice to take a little time when meeting a dog under consideration for adoption. Especially when they are spending most of their day in a kennel, they need a little time to run around and shake off the kennel vibe before they can show off their best side. It’s nice when we can take the dogs on an outing, like to dog class or a hike, and be able to report how they were in the car and out in public.

We try to post photos on the Humboldt County Animal Shelter or Redwood Pals Rescue Facebook pages when the dogs have an adventure.

One of the shelter dogs, Rocky, is having a sleepover weekend with a volunteer. Look for photos of him going to a workshop at HSU and having some outdoor adventures also.

Sleeping is a big activity

for the dogs once they are away from all the noise of the shelter! It’s kind of like getting home from a hospital stay where you are woken up every four hours for vital signs...

One of our Redwood Pals dogs found the noise to be too much for him and couldn’t settle down enough in his kennel to be considered Adoptable at the shelter. It’s a shame because this dog is really great with people and other dogs.

Harley came into the shelter with a broken pelvis, probably from a fall out of a truck, and had to sit quietly for many weeks while his bones healed.

He passed his temperament tests for behavior, but just found the Adoptable wing of the shelter to be overstimulating and he couldn’t settle down in his kennel. Shelter staff doesn’t want a dog to get hurt bouncing on the concrete floors so they put him back in a quieter part of the shelter. He is looking for a foster or adoptive home now where he can show what a great dog he can be in a less stressful environment.

Harley is a small, two-year-old Pit Bull mix. He has a big head on a little body (maybe some Bulldog in there?), which certainly gives him a tough guy look, but five minutes with this dog and you’ll see that is misleading!

Harley has been our go-to dog for testing other dogs as he is very patient with them. He played very nicely with Lucy, who was featured last week, but can entertain himself with balls and toys as well. He is all healed from his injury now and we’d love to find him a home.

If you would like more information on Harley, or might be able to give him a foster or permanent home, please contact us at redwoodpalsrescue@gmail.com or call (707) 839-9692.



NIGHT BUS The Orange Special Transit Route map. COURTESY A&MRTS

A&MRTS testing new Orange Special evening bus route

ARCATA & MAD RIVER TRANSIT SYSTEM
ARCATA – The Arcata and Mad River Transit System (A&MRTS), which manages public transportation in the City of Arcata, has implemented an adjustment to evening bus route schedules running from 6 to 10 p.m. beginning Monday, April 16.

A&MRTS is testing a replacement of the Red Transit Route and the Gold Transit Route for weekday service, from 6 to 10 p.m., with the Orange Special Transit Route.

To accommodate evening weekday transit passengers, the Orange Special Transit Route will

serve downtown Arcata, Sunny Brae, Greenview Market, Humboldt State University, Valley West Shopping Center and Alliance Road from 6 to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Red and Gold Transit Routes will continue to run during their regular daytime schedules Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., and weekend transit schedules will continue to operate normally without adjustments.

For more information on A&MRTS service, call 311 or (707) 822-3775, or visit visit hta.org/agencies/arcata-and-mad-river/.

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KIDS BIKE RODEO Mo-sey on Down to the 11th Annual Kids Bike Rodeo! Bring your bike and saddle up for this fun-filled event taking place Sunday, May 20 from 10 a.m. to high noon. Parents and kids, ages 4 to 12, can join City of Arcata staff on the Arcata Plaza for a day of bike safety lessons, helmet fittings and free bike inspections. Plus, kids will have the opportunity to show off their bike skills in a rodeo-style obstacle course, play fun bike games and fuel up at a pedal-powered smoothie station! Kids completing all rodeo activities will receive great prizes. The City of Arcata is proud to sponsor this free and fun community event. Want more information or are you interested in volunteering at the Kids Bike Rodeo? Call (707) 825-2175 or email jclifton@cityofarcata.org.

Plans are under consideration for paving around the Plaza and on the adjacent streets, and the city authorities are considering the purchase of a large quantity of crushed rock for permanent street work. Who says the White City is not going ahead?

– Arcata Union, Sept. 14, 1916

RIDE THE BUS

HUMBOLDT TRANSIT AUTHORITY

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018, REDWOOD TRANSIT SERVICE (RTS) FARES WILL BE:

A partir del 1 de Julio de 2018, el servicio de Redwood Transit (RTS) tendra nuevas tarifas:

REDWOOD TRANSIT SYSTEM	OLD RATES	NEW RATES	REDWOOD TRANSIT SYSTEM	TARIFA	TARIFAS NUEVAS
31 Day Regular	\$59.00	\$62.00	Pase Mensual para Viajes Ilimitados	\$59.00	\$62.00
31 Day Reduced	\$54.00	\$57.00	Pase Mensual para Viajes Ilimitados Reducido	\$54.00	\$57.00
Week Pass Regular	\$15.00	\$15.75	Pase Semanal	\$15.00	\$15.75
Week Pass Reduced	\$13.00	\$13.75	Pase Semanal Reducido	\$13.00	\$13.75
Cash Fare Regular	\$3.00	\$3.50	Tarifa Regular en Efectivo	\$3.00	\$3.50
Cash Fare Reduced	\$2.75	\$3.15	Tarifa Reducida en Efectivo	\$2.75	\$3.15
Day Pass Regular	\$4.90	\$5.25	Pase Diario para Viajes Ilimitados	\$4.90	\$5.25
Card Fare Regular	\$1.90	\$2.10	Tarifa con Tarjeta	\$1.90	\$2.10
Card Fare Reduced	\$1.65	\$1.80	Tarifa con Tarjeta reducida	\$1.65	\$1.80
In-Town Cash Fare	\$1.90	\$2.10	Tarifa en efectivo en la ciudad	\$1.90	\$2.10

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